TITLE 326 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION

PROPOSED RULE AS PRELIMINARILY ADOPTED

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DIGEST

Adds 326 IAC 5-1-8 concerning temporary alternative opacity limitations (TAOL) for the AEP Rockport Generating Station. Effective 30 days after filing with the Publisher.

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326 IAC 5-1-8

SECTION 1. 326 IAC 5-1-8 IS ADDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

326 IAC 5-1-8 Site-specific temporary alternative opacity limitations

Authority: IC 13-14-8; IC 13-17

Affected: IC 13-11

- Sec. 8. In accordance with section 3(d) of this rule, Indiana Michigan Power Company (dba American Electric Power) Rockport Units #1 and #2, located in Spencer County, when burning fuels identified in section 3(d)(1) of this rule shall comply with the following temporary alternative opacity limitations:
 - (1) When building a new fire in a boiler, opacity may exceed the applicable limitation established in section 2 of this rule for a period not to exceed a total of two
 - (2) hours (twenty (20) six (6) minute averaging periods) during the startup period, or until the flue gas temperature reaches two hundred fifty (250) degrees Fahrenheit at the inlet of the electrostatic precipitators, whichever occurs first.
 - (2) When shutting down a boiler, opacity may exceed the applicable limitation established in section 2 of this rule once the flue gas temperature has dropped below

two hundred fifty (250) degrees Fahrenheit at the inlet of the electrostatic precipitators for a period not to exceed a total of one and one half (1.5) hours (fifteen (15) six (6) minute averaging periods) during the shutdown period. (Air Pollution Control Division; 326 IAC 5-1-8)